TEMPLAR GUESTS

Arrival of the Two New England Commanderies-A Grand Entertainment in Their Honor at Masonic Temple-A Promenade Reception and Bauquet.

The pilgrim Templars from New Engfand arrived yesterday afternoon, at four o'clock, and met a knightly reception at the Baltimore and Potomic depot, Washington, Columbia, and Potomac Commanderies uniting with De Molay Commandery in honoring the visitors. When the O. Townsend, A. J. Gordon, C. B. Lancaster, J. Movisitors arrived, after exchanging the usual courtesics at the depot, a procession was formed in the following order: Buglers, Donch's Band, De Molay Mounded Commandery, Potomac Commandery, Columbia Commandery, No. 2; Marine Band: Washington Commandery, No. 1; reception mandary, of Boston Reeves' Band, of Provi-Moley Commandery, of this city, was repremontaled: Potomac Commandery by fifty, and We hington and Columbia Commanderies by about one hundred each. The Boston Commandsage by the Mansion was made in silence, the bands stopping their music, out of consideration for the illness of Mrs. Garfield. The visitors were then e-corted to their quarters at Willard's Hotel, where they rested until a blast of a bugle called them to form in line to march to Masonic Temple, where an entertainment in their honor was prepared by their hosts, the fraters of DeMolay Com-

mandery, of this city. THE RECEPTION of the most brilliant gatherings that has taken was a triple arch far in the east, the centre bearing the word "Welcome," on the right of which was "DeMolay," and on the other "St. John's," At the other end of the hall, in front of the music gallery, was an artistic arrangement of the national ensign, shields, and smaller flags, and the ernamented with shields and flags. Every ared the pilgrim Templars, and their bright faces and witty convermembers of the order. Among those particularly as it were, around two blondes from Taunton argued it was "struck," so to speak. There were others and those of usually staid and sedate demeanor, who showed unwonted activity and gallantry, such as George Evans, Dr. C. M. Ford, Frank Rocker, and others. The inspiring music of Donch's orchestra kept the dancing up to a late hour, and when the party separated the remark of one fair Bay State girl, said as she wrapped around her curly hair the nebulous and fleecy thing set and every round dance, and I never had so present. The supper, furnished by W. A. Wonn, was sumptuous in every respect, and both the solids and the ices found abundant appetites to satisfy. Among those present were Senator Burnside, Senstor Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hay, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Trimble, Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Rocar, Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Roose, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Parker, Mr. and Mrs. George Clarke, O. T. Thompson, James M. Wilson and ies, H. H. Hazard and wife, George E. Corson, Miss Emma Warder, Miss Adele Thomas, Miss Kate Maxwell, Miss Lena Dowd, Major Perley Poore, A. W. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dennison, Mr. and Mrs. Brainard H. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. Cissell, Daniel Johnson, James H. Ball, William E. Dawes, Dr. J. B. Gibbs, I. L. Johnson Miss Susie Richards, C. W. Bennett and daughter, Ezra L. Stephens, Miss Ida Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kengle, Mr. and Mrs. John Miner, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Draney, Robent Ball and daughter, Miss Rose Stephens, B. F. Bigelow and wife, Harrison Dingman and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Noble D. Larner, Thomas Somerville and daughter, P. L. Rodier, B. W. Summy Dr. C. F. Stansbury and daughter, R. W. Hardy, J. C. Ergood and wife, Colonel H. A. Seligson and wife, John H. Hood and wife, General W. A. Armistead, J. H. Jochum and wife, E. F. Lawson. H. L. Atchison and wife, Colonel D. B. Ainger and wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Tullock, William Small, C. L. Patten and sister, Richard Cropley and wife, H. W. Illman and lady, Daniel J. Logan, S. C. Raub, Miss A. C. Ayars, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Casey, Miss Eva Angel, Duncan S. Graham, U. S. N.: Miss Minnie Scherger, and Miss M. Williams. Among those accompanying De Molay Commandery, of Boston, and who were present, were Past Sunday afternoon, at four o'clock. Eminent Commanders Rev. J. W. Dadmun. Charles B. Lancaster and Joseph B. Mason, Past Prelate William S. Studley, Mrs. F. G. Waldbridge, Mrs. H. P. Hemenway, Mrs. George F. Wright, Mrs.

Gould, and Mrs. Albert B. Holmes. Accompanying St. John's Commandery, of Providence, R. I., present at the reception The committees to whose energetic, capable, and rested. faithful efforts the success of the reception was so largely due, were as follows: Reception commit tee-DeMolay Commandery, No. 4, James P. Pearson, chairman; Joseph Daniels, George B. Clark, Andrew W. Kelly, Noble D. Larner, James F. Wollard, William H. H. Cissel, Isaac I. Johnson ; Washington Commandery, No. 1, A. G. Mackey: Columbia Commandery, No. 2, Ben: Per-Poore, James E. Waugh, Robert No. 3, J. B. Gibbs, R. W. Hardy, John H. Hood. ner, chairman; Sir George S. Krafft, Sir Thomas omerville, Sir W. S. Roose, Sir P. L. Rodier. Floor fense. rector-Sir George W. Evans. Floor committee-Past Eminent Commander Andrew W. Kelley, Sir John A. Augusterfer, Sir J. H. Jochum, Sir Anton Karl. Committee on hall decorations and print-

Joseph B. Mason, Mrs. E. B. Holmes, Mrs. David S.

Watson, Mrs. William R. Cook, Mrs. Lyman W.

Mrs. H. G. Jordan, Mrs. E. F. McIntyre, Mrs. B. J.

Hemenway, generalissimo; Sir George F. Wright, captain-general; Eminent Sir Rev. J. W. Dadmun, Prelate; Sir Henry G. Jordan, senior warden; Sir Frank T. Dwinell, junior warden; Sir Joseph M. St. John's Commandery, of Providence, R. L. | cupants had deserted the house. Eminent Sir George H. Rhodes, eminent commander; Sir Alfred G. Pierce, generalissimo; Sir James C. Lester, captain-general; Sir George M. Carpenter, jr., prelate; Sir James H. Smith, senior warden; Sir Joseph O. Earle, junior warden; Sir John G. Massie, trensurer; Sir William R. Greene, recorder; Edward S. Jones, sword-bearer; Sir George L. Shepley, warder; Sir Wayland A. Wheaton, Sir William H. Silloway, Sir Forrest A. Peck, captains

The following are the rosters of the visiting com-

De Molay, Boston-W. B. Fisher, F.G. Walbridge, H. P. Hemingway, G. F. Wright, J. B. Mason, H. G. Jordan, T. W. Gould, W. R. Cooke, W. H. Nichols, D. S. Watson, L. W. Wheeler, J. M. Smith, G. B. Brown, W. F. Chester, A. D. Holmes, E. B. Holmes, sion of the treaties between England and France.

J. H. Cummings, J. M. Russell, M. Williams, F. L. Parker, E. W. Gilbert, T. W. Dadman, W. S. Studley, P. Dolliver, T. W. Fairbanks, D. F. Knight, William Lamb, John Mack, J. F. Gammell, L. ACCORDED A KNIGHTLY RECEPTION. Holmes, C. A. Drost, W. H. H. Porter, S. P. Bartlett, P. Edwards, F. C. Fairbanks, A. K. Tunson, F. J. Davis, H. N. Fisher, R.G. Ferguson, T. A. Taylor, W. A. Kidder, E. A. Loud, C. D. Graves, E. A. Messenger, J. A. Johnson, E. T. Kent, J. H. Davis, S. Noyes, jr., D. S. Clark, E. M. Platt, John Foster, T. S. Hittinger, G. H. Maynard, G. T. Ambrose, J. P. Soule, A. T. Bacon, A. Webster, L. Baxter, J. W. Chick, J. R. Carr, M. S. Holway, Josiah Bryant, G. M. Hosmer, A. B. Babcock, E. W. Leavans, E. S. Hamlin, A. D. Thompson, E. R. Frost, B. J. Parker, H. B. Arnold, G.S. Carpenter, C. A. Cox, M. Harrison, E. B. McIntyre, C. H. Olmstead, G. W. Oliver, J. H. Peck, E.M. Ames, Charles Peirce, T. D. Atwood, C. M. Proctor, T. B. Bacon, G. F. Sanderson, Henry Stumaker, G.

riarty, H. M. Dow, C. J. Noyes, E. R. Cheney. St. John's Commandery, Providence, R. I.-N. D. Arnold, J. C. Lester, Charles Mansell, O. M. Mitchell, A. M. Coville, Stillman White, J. G. Hastings, Charles Laws, A. L. Bliss, P. Wifbur, John Heathcote, T.F. Arnold, S. D. Spink, W. L. Walker, pand: Wall's Boston Band; De Molay Com- J. E. Brown, D. B. Davis, G. H. Rhodes, B. F. Kingsbury, C. E. Harris, C. M. Sheldon, W. C. Hammond, denge; St. John's Commandery, of Providence. W. H. Sherman, J. G. Pearce, L. H. Eddy, W. The procession made a very fine appearance, the Wheaton, P. S. Dobson, J. Utton, H. A. day being especially well suited for a parade. De Claffin, G. M. Ardoene, J. Belcher, T. M. Rounds, Ira Winson, D. N. Davis, senied in line by about ninety men, all well J. M. Buffington, W. E. Husband, C. Gorton, G. F. Batley, G. Fuller, W. H. Perry, G. L. Shipley, A. B. Gardner, G. M. Fraborn, H. B. Dexter, J. R. Fales, G. H. Burnham, W. R. Walker, C. E. Bonone, J. M. brought over ninety members, and the Provi- Wheldon, J. G. Massie, P. T. Washburn, R. H. Hall, Commandery nearly seventy. The line of W. R. Bodfish, C. Lawton, A. H. Cashman, J. H. much from the depot was a circuitous one, the Whaley, M. Tillinghast, W. Dilloughly, M. Ogden, Knights passing the Executive Mansion. The pas- R. Chadwick, M. Elsfree, C. H. Dunham, A. Thompson, Fitz James Rice, and M. Swan.

DEATH IN THE MINES.

A Tragedy in Dakota-The Killed and Wounded.

Deadwood, D. T., May 20 .- A "cave' at seven o'clock last evening. Thirteen persons were in the mine. The night-shift of sixty men given at the Masonic Temple last evening was one | were just coming on, but only about twenty had while over the doorway was an arch, in the centre | timbers at a fearful rate for one or two hundred of which was a Maltese cross. Once within the feet. One man named Thomas Green was thrown prions hall, the first feature that struck the eye by the concussion of the air nearly eighty feet out of the tunnel against the side wall of the open well-wishing, and in a few moments the Chamber, cut and killed instantly. Two others were blown which had been the theatre of so much exciteright through the tunnel toward the Highland mine, at Lead City. One escaped unburt; the other was struck by timber and died last night. Eleven were buried under the debris. The "cave" is suppanels between the windows on both sides were posed about 250 feet long, one hundred wide, and rangement that could be conceived of to add to large ore-chamber, completely filling it. in the same manner that the nominations of Messrs. comfort and enjoyment of their guests and the Hundreds of miners were at once set to Robertson and Merritt were so rapidly disposed of results of the careful efforts of the Washington | work from Lead and Central Cities, and | Wednesday. There was a short debate on the nomi-Do Molays could be seen in the joy and pleas- shifts were changed every fifteen minutes, only nation of William E. Chandler as Solicitor-General ure that beamed in the faces of all present. five or six being able to work on each side of the Mr. Bayard briefly outlined the Democratic op-The formal entree of the visiting knights, cave at a time. The tunnel runs entirely through position to its confirmation, on the ground that ander the escort of the reception committee, the hill, connecting the Terra and Highland mines. Mr. Chandler has been hostile to the South, and is was an impressive sight, and the hearty words of Several escaped with nothing more serious than a too pronounced a Republican partisan for the posicome by Eminent Commander Sir M. R. few bruises through the tunnel to the Lead City tion. Mr. Blair spoke at considerable length in sup-Thorpe were vocal evidences of the sincere fraternal side of the hill. A large number of men port of the nomination, and Mr. Frye also earnestly existing between the guests and their hosts, went to work from all directions, but the but briefly, advocated its ed "cave" is so extended that it will take some time to clear it away and re- five majority, as follows: Yeas, 19 Republicans; nays, 23 Democrats and Senator Cameron, of Penncave are J. Farley, L. Weigens, J. Wedleck, John sylvania. The only other Republican present and affected by the beauty and brilliancy of the fair | Miller, Thomas P. Galvin, Angus McLeau, Jack | unpaired who did not vote in favor of the confirmavisitors was Sir E. B. Hay, who seemed to hover, Beatty, Mat. Plunkett, Joe Hoskins, and a man tion was Senator Mitchell, of Pennsylvania, who named McCormick, all of whom are supposed to withheld his vote from either side. with an auxiety, an earnestness, a trepidation that be badly hurt. The men who were working heard Farley talking last night for some time. He said the timbers had fallen on him, and there was no hope for him.

LATER.-Word has been received that Farley and Beatty have been taken out of the cave, one being dead and the other dving a short time after being released. There will be no detention in the operation of the mine. Later dispatches just received | New York, whose commission expired March 3, say that nine men still remain in the 1881; Henry E. Knox, of New York, to be United which answered for a hood, "I have danced every mine, and that the miners working there States marshal for the Southern District can talk with them. It is expected that all of them good a time in my life," was fully indorsed by all will be got out alive this afternoon. The affair, whose term expired February 27, 1881; Charles which cannot be explained, has created great exthe working of the mine.

DEADWOOD, D. T., May 20.-The miners, who had een imprisoned in the mine since seven o'clock last evening, were all rescued this afternoon at two o'clook, none of them sustaining any injuries. This leaves only three-Thomas Green, James Farley, and James Beatty-killed and five slightly leaves a wife and family, who are now on their way to the Hills. Green also leaves a tirely clear, although no delay has been occasioned have responded liberally. The disaster has been the are many conjectures as to the cause, but no blame any one else. The prompt and heroic efforts of the examination. managers of the mine and volunteers to rescue their fellow-laborers is deserving of the highest

Death of General French.

Brevet Major-General William H French, U. S. A., died at his residence, 1315 N street, yesterday morning, in the sixty-seventh year of his age. General French graduated from the Military Academy July 1, 1837, and was promoted for Miss Ella F. Bliss and Miss Annie M. Copeland, of gallant conduct in two battles in the Mexican war. Mass.; Major H. D. Norton, William He was promoted to colonel for gallant conduct in Shepherd, William G. Henderson, Warren H. Or- | the battle of Antietam, and at the close of the war cutt and daughter, John Brodie, Commander he was made colonel of the Fourth Artillery for gallant and meritorious service. He was for some years in charge of the post at Fort McHenry. The funeral will take place from his late residence,

Two Georgia Women.

ALBANY, GA., May 20.-Yesterday, out of the jealousy of a married woman, Mrs. Elsie Hill, whose husband had been attentive to a woman named Henrietta Cato, followed her Wheeler, Mrs. James M. Smith, Mrs. J. H. Cummings, husband to Henrietta's house, and, after a short and sharp quarrel with her rival, attacked her with Parker, Mrs. George P. Brown, Mrs. T. Warren an axe. A terrible encounter ensued. Henrietta in defending herself used a pocket-knife, with which she stabbed Mrs. Hill. The latter finding were twenty-seven ladies, nearly all of whom were herself badly wounded gave up the contest, and soon after died of her injuries. Henrietta was ar-

A Pretty Big Check.

New York, May 20.-In the suit of Williams against the Western Union, Jay Gould was recalled to the stand. He testified that he gave a check for \$10,000,000 on the Fourth National Bank to pay for the entire capital stock of the American Union Telegraph Company. He talked with William H. Vanderbilt many times, but Ball, John R. Miner; Potomac Commandery, the subject of selling Western Union was not mentioned. He did not advise Mr. Keene to sell his Executive committee-Eminent Sir Noble D. Lar- stock in December. This closed the case for the plaintiff, and A. J. Vanderpoel opened for the de-

Virginia Episcopalians.

DANVILLE, VA., May 20 .- The council ling-tieneralissimo E. F. Lawson, Sir R. T. Hieston, was engaged nearly the whole session here to-day Sir John A. Augusterfer, Sir J. H. Haswell, Sir in discussing certain proposed amendments to the gained a complete and emphatic victory; George W. Evans, Sir John Ogden, Sir Robert Da- canons of the Church, among them one against tendering the thanks of the German representamiscuous round-dancing. After a prolonged The officers of the two commanderies are: De | discussion the further consideration of the subject | the Senate; also tendering thanks to the Senate | Molay Commandery, of Boston-Emineut Sir Fred, was postponed until the next council. The coun- for confirming Hon. William H. Robertson with G. Walbridge, eminent commander; Sir H. P. cil, by resolution, agreed to meet next year at Nor- so great unanimity, and asking the Legisla- been continued at three and a half per cent. to date folk, and will probably adjourn to-morrow.

Arrests in St. Petersburg. Frank Gammell, sword-bearer; Sir Zacheus for complicity in the murder of the Czar and re-Holmes, warder; Sir Daniel F. Knight, Sir William | prieved on account of her delicate condition, has | thanks and appreciation for the action of the R. Pisher, and Sir Winfield L. Tucker, captains of been delivered of a still-born child. Another conthe guard: Sir John L. Curtiss, Sir Charles A. spirator's den, containing a large store of arms and of the New York appointments. Drost and Sir Edwin W. Gilbert, assistant guards. dynamite, has been found near Warsaw. The oc-

The Monetary Conference. London, May 20 .- A private letter from one of the delegates to the Monetary Conference does not afford much hope of a practical issue. He says the divergence of opinion among the delecarry authority.

General Walker's New Position. Boston, May 20.—General Francis A. Walker, superintendent of the United States Census, has been chosen president of the Massachu-

setts Institute of Technology. He will enter upon the discharge of his duties in October. SIR CHARLES DILKE, under foreign secretary, will ADJOURNED SINE DIE.

LAST DAY'S SENATE PROCEEDINGS.

Resolution of Inquiry Adopted-Thanks to the Presiding Officer-Hon, William E. Chandler Rejected for Solicitor-General-A Batch of Confirmations.

When the Senate convened vesterday Mr. Bayard, of the committee appointed to wait pon the President to ascertain whether he had ny further communications to make to the Senate, reported that the committee had performed its duty, and that the President had stated that he | who finally left their candidates and supported us; had no further communications to make. Thereupon Mr. Pendleton offered a resolution

declaring that when the Senate adjourn to-day it shall stand adjourned sine die. Mr. Ingalls objected to the present consideration of the resolution, and it was laid aside for the

time being, liable, however, to be called up at any The Senate then (at 12:10) went into executive

Mr. Logan offered a resolution, which was adopted, directing the Committee on Military Affairs to examine into the affairs of the Soldiers' Home in Washington, D. C., and to report to the Senate on the second Monday in December the re-

sult of its inquiry. Mr. Harris having taken the chair. Mr. Pendleton offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate are due, and

are hereby tendered, to the Vice-President for the courtesy, ability, and impartiality with which he has presided over the deliberations of the Serrate during When the doors were reopened-they having been kept closed while the foregoing resolution was acted upon-the Senate (at 5:15), on motion of

Mr. Pendleton, adjourned sine die. Contrary to occurred at the Golden Terra Mine, at Terraville, the usual custom, no President pro tem. of the Senate was elected. The Vice-President was absent from the Chamber when the adjournment took place, the chair entered the tunnel, when a large mass of earth | being occupied by Mr. Harris. Owing to the fact place in many a day. The entrance and stairway fell in at a distance of nearly two hundred feet that up to the moment of adjournment the Senate were elaborately decorated with flags and bunting, from the mouth, tearing and throwing down the had remained in executive session, there were no spectators in the galleries, and the usual scenes at-

tending a sine die adjournment were missing. The

Senators indulged in the usual hand-shaking and

ment during the session just closed, was deserted In Executive Session.

The New York appointments of Messrs. Woodford, Tenney, MacDougall, Knox, and Gould fifty feet deep, and it occurred directly over a were all confirmed yesterday without opposition was then taken, which resulted in its rejection by

The Confirmations. The Senate in executive session yester-

day confirmed the following nominations : Stewart L. Woodford, to be United States attorney for the Southern District of New York, whose commission expired January 12, 1881: Asa W. Tenney, to be United States attorney for the Eastern District of of New York, vice Lewis F. Payn A. Gould, collector of customs for the district of itement. There was no fault with the timbers or | Buffalo Creek, New York, vice Tyler, commission expired; John F. Dravo, surveyor of customs, Pittsburg, Pa.; Jonathan H. Gray, collector of customs for the district of Alexandria, Va. United States consuls-John B. Glover, of Indiana, Havre, France: George F. Mosher, of New Hampshire, Nice, France: William B. Wells, of Michigan, Rotterdam: M. B. Wharton, of Georgia, Sonneberg; injured. Farley was a single man, and Beatty David Vickers, of New Jersey, Matanzas; E. H. Nebraska, Chemnitz: John G. Crawford, of New wife and five children. The work of Hampshire, Coaticook; James C. Zuck, of Caliclearing the tunnel out is progressing rapidly, and fornia, Tien Tsin. Postmasters-Benjamin Darit is thought that by Sunday the mine will be en- | lington, Pittsburg, Pa.: Joseph H. Manly, Augusta, Me.; James D. Watson, Sparta, Ill.; Hamilton Jay, by the accident. Subscriptions for the relief of Jacksonville, Fla.; Pressly C. Lane, Palmyra, Mo those made homeless and destitute have been John F. Haynes, Round Rock, Texas; John B. ealled for by the press of the Hills, and the people Nicholas, Denton, Texas. Elijah A. Stone, to be Indian agent of Fort Hall agency, Idaho; John B. principal topic of conversation to-day, and there McCleery, to be post chaplain, U. S. A.; L. F. Prud'homme and Marshall Oliver, to be professors can possibly be attached either to the company or of mathematics in the navy, subject to required Lieutenant-Colonel Lewis C. Hunt, to be colonel

of Fourteenth Infantry; Lieutenant-Colonel Charles C. Gilbert, to be colonel of Seventh Infantry; Major Edwin C. Mason, to be lieutenantcolonel of Fourth Infantry; Major Henry S. Chipman, to be lieutenant-colonel of Seventh Infantry; Captains William H. Jordan and Edward P. Pearson, to be majors of the Third and Seventeenth Infantry, respectively; First Lieutenants A. H. Bowman and Charles H. Greene, to be captains in the Ninth and Twenty-fourth Infantry; Second Lieutenants John A. Baldwin and William A. Mann, to be first lieutenants of the Ninth and

Seventeenth Infantry. Lapsed Nominations.

Among the nominations that went over at the final adjournment without action, and which have consequently expired, are those of Lucius P. Thompson as surveyor of the port of Philadelphia, George H. Starbuck and Thomas N. Van Valkenberg as supervising inspectors of steam vessels for the second and ninth districts, and William Rule for reappointment as postmaster at Knoxville, Tenn.

Unreported.

The Senate Committee on Commerce yesterday decided to make no report this session on the nominations of George II. Starbuck and Thomas N. Van Valkenberg as supervising inspectors of steam vessels for the second and ninth New York districts, respectively,

Yesterday's Nominations.

The President sent the following nominations to the Senate vesterday: Willard B. Wells, of Michigan, to be United States consul at Rotterdam; M. B. Wharton, of Georgia, to be consul at Sonneberg, and James D. Watson to be postmaster at Sparta, Ill.

Resolutions by "Half-Breed" Germans. New York, May 20.-The German Re-

publican Central Committee met to-night and passed resolutions congratulating all the people, and more especially the German Republicans of this State, that in the long-continued and unnecesof the Episcopal Church in the diocese of Virginia sary struggle forced upon the President by ex-Senators Conkling and Platt the President ives to the ex-Senators for resigning their seats in ture not to re-elect ex-Senators Conkling and aggregates \$189,114,330, \$20,089,930 of which was re-Platt. It was stated that arrangements ceived yesterday, were in progress for a mass-meeting, to be held in LONDON, May 20.—The Times' dispatch | Cooper Institute, to express the city's gratification | Spanish legation at Washington, who has been nomi-Russell, treasurer; Sir George Phippen, jr., re- from St. Petersburg says important arrests continue at being relieved from boss rule through the res-Corder; Sir E. A. Loud, standard-bearer; Sir J. almost daily. Hessy Helfman, sentenced to death | ignation of Messrs. Conkling and Platt. A letter was read from President Garfield expressing committee in approving his course in the matter

Hanging a Crazy Murderer.

CHARLESTON, May 20 .- Joe Stevens (colored) was hanged in Edgefield to-day for the murder of Andry Richardson (colored). He took his place on the trap with firmness, but at the last his courage seemed to forsake him, and, waving his Sir William C. Hammond, standard-bearer; Sir gates does not foreshadow a conclusion that might handkerchief, he became greatly excited, exclaiming in a loud tone, "I claim protection! Give me protection! I command the peace! peace! peace! peace!" and, while supplicating for aid and and family, Mrs. Rutledge (sister of Mrs. Hunt), Mrs. assistance, Sheriff Ouzts sprang the trigger, and in | General Poe. Mrs. General Ricketts, Colonel and Mrs. ten minutes the murderer was lifeless.

The New Treaty.

LONDON, May 21.-The News states that the commissioners appointed to discuss the new

A ROYAL EDICT. The Order to Suppress Gorham-A Start

WASHINGTON, D. *C., SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 21, 1881.

ling Document Found. The following was handed in last even-

ing at a late hour by a person, who said it was found in a waste-basket in the Senate Chamber after the final adjournment:

Whereas one George C. Gorham, editor of THE NA TIONAL REPUBLICAN newspaper, of Washington, D. C., has, in derogation of our royal prerogative, presumed to entertain and express in the said newspape an opinion adverse to the nomination of W. H. Rob ertson as collector of the port of New York; and Whereas any opposition what wer to our will has a tendency to lessen the prospec's of a renewal of our lease of power in 1884; and

Whereas the said Gorham was, on the 22d day of March, Anno Domini 1881, and in the eighteenth day of

our reign, unanimously nominated by the Republican members of the United States Senate for Secretary of Now, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power in u

Gorham be set aside and deprized of the said candirespect this order, on pain of having their wishes concerning patronage disregarded.

Given at our royal palace, this 2d day of May, 1831 By order of the King. JAMES THE WEAK.

THAT MURDERER.

The Man Who Killed Mina Miller-An Inquest and Excitement.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., May 20 .- The continuance to-day of the inquest in the case of the murdered woman, Mins Miller, whose remains were found in Opdyke's woods, Guttenberg, on the 13th instant, caused great exchement in Hoboken. There was fully one thousand persons in the hall thousand were gathered around outside. The chief of police was compelled to summon all his the evidence tending to prove the prisoner's of the girl who had been criminally assaulted by the prisoner's wife and children were brought to the room. The woman upon seeing her husband, who sat stolidly staring at the witness, caused great excitement by uttering loud cries and fainting dead away. The crowd finally became so excited that the coroner was compelled to adjourn the inquest until next Monday. The chief of police, while taking the prisoner from the hall, was compelled to surround him with policemen. He was taken to police headquarters, and from thence out the back way to the county jail. JERSEY CITY, N. J., May 20 .- An examination of

the three trunks found in Kenkowsky's rooms was made this evening, and in one of them was found a white shirt, the sleeves and bosom of which was spotted with blood

Races and Base-Ball.

LOUISVILLE, May 20.—The fourth day of the spring meeting of the jockey club was favored with delightful weather and a large attendance. A selling race, a mile and an eighth, was first on the programme. It was won by Granger, General Pike, the favorite, second, and Rasaphiel third. Time, 1:5714. Granger sold in the field. Second race, the Louisville Cup, two and a quarter miles. Bancroft, the favorite, won the race, Mendelssohn second and Jim Malone third. Time, 4:04. Third event, Jockey Club handicap, one and a

half miles, Ben d'Or won. Boulevard second, and Bonfire third. Time, 2:38. Gabriel and Una were hot favorites, but were badly beaten, Last race, three-quarters of a mile dash, Mono gram won, Critic second, and Katie Creel third.

Time, 1:17%. BUFFALO, N. Y., May 20 .- Buffalos, 7; Worces

ters, 0. CHICAGO, May 20.-Chicagos, 5; Bostons, 4. CLEVELAND, May 20 .- Clevelands, 7; Troys, 4.

DETROIT, May 20 .- Providence, 5; Detroit, 4.

Army-Worm Devastation. ORANGE, N. Y., May 20. The army-worm s cacating consternation among the market gardeners of New Jersey who grow early produce for the New York markets. Already the worms and thousands of early plants are destroyed every night, causing heavy losses. The tomato plants are morrow. As soon as he arrives there will be a conattacked principally, the worms eating through sultation between himself and Mr. Platt and Rogers, of Nebraska, Vera Cruz; H. S. Kaley, of the stocks and leaving the tops whole, but useless. When the weather becomes warmer it is believed | who are expected from Albany, including Speaker that the damage which the worms will cause will Sharpe. Vice-President Arthur is also expected. equal that of last year.

Death of a Journalist.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.-William F. Corbit died at his residence in this city this morning, after a brief illness, aged fifty. In early life Mr. Corbit entered the field of journalism, and was connected with the North American and Inquirer, and for many years was attached to the office of the Associated Press in this city, at one time having charge of the agency. Later on he was employed upon the Public Ledger, and was connected with that journal at the time of his death.

Frightful Suicide of a Woman.

Springfield, Mass., May 20.-Mrs. Cooley, a widow about thirty-six years of age, who had been in this city only a week, committed suicide early this morning by throwing herself from a third-story window in her boarding-house, on Water street. She was instantly killed. She said last night if anything happened to her to give \$50 of her money to her sister, Bridget Hughes, of Adams, Over \$150 were found on her person rolled up in a handkerchief.

New Testaments Given Out.

New York, May 20 .- Long lines of express wagons were backed up in front of the English publishing-house agency from an early hour this morning receiving packages of the English edition of the revised Testament. It was estimated that up to noon to-day two hundred and fifty thousand volumes had been given out, and that probably fifty thousand more would be shipped during the afternoon. Copies of the revised New Testament are for sale on the streets.

CAPITAL JOTTINGS.

... The national bank-notes received for redemption vesterday amounted to \$221,000. -LeDuc is around with a shot-gun, hunting for the

fellow who said that his resignation was compulsory. -The Government receipts yesterday were: \$417,590.98 from internal revenue, and \$702,315.91 from

-The amount of six per cent, bonds received for continuance at three and a half per cent. to date aggregates \$173,204,270. -It is said that it is the intention of the President

to make between three and four hundred appointments during the coming week. -There was a colored delegation at the White Hons yesterday urging the appointment of A. T. Houk as United States marshal for the Baltimore district.

-The Assistant Superintendent of Railway Mails has been out of town for some time, skirmishing along different lines of railroads, shaking things up gener--Professor Joseph Arbeely and Nazieb Arbeely, of

Damascus, Syria, were at the White House yesterday.

They attracted considerable attention, being in their

native costumes. Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Coppock were -The amount of five per cent, bonds covered by notices and the actual receipt of bonds which have

-Count Brunetti, for many years secretary of the nated to the rank of envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Chili, will sail from New York to-day to take charge of his post. -Among the President's callers yesterday were

Senators Morrill, Hill of Colorado, Conger, Hawley, Mitchell, Sewell, Plumb, Jones, Burnside, Anthony, Sawyer, Cameron; Judge Jackson, of Wisconsin, and Representatives Miller, of Pennsylvania, and Butter--Second Assistant Postmaster-General Elmer formally assumed charge of his bureau yesterday, and

hereafter will run matters therein. He took hold of the work before him like a business man and in a business way. He will doubtless make a successful and efficient officer. -The United States steamer Dispatch left the navyyard at five o'clock yesterday afternoon for a trip to Hampton Roads, having on board Secretary Hunt

Farquhar, and Harry Garfield. -The Smithsonian Institute has received from M. Forster, of Berlin, the announcement of the discovery by M. Palisa at Pola in May, 1881, of a planetoid of the thirteenth magnitude, in fifteen hours three minutes of right ascension and twenty-three degrees two probably preside over the commission for the concluwhit minutes north.

THE TWO STALWARTS

TO BE RETURNED TO THE SENATE.

Latest from Albany-Much Less Enthusiasm Amon the "Half-Breeds"-They Criticise the President-When the Election Will Occur-The Coming Cancus.

Special to THE REPUBLICAN. ALBANY, May 20 .- Senator Conkling will reach New York to-night and will go to his home Whereas the said Gorham supported Ulysses S. Grant for the presidential nomination in opposition to those who finally lost their candidates and supported units. sioner French, Senator Strahan, Mr. John F Smyth, and others of Mr. Conkling's friends and supporters will have a consultation in New York to-morrow. The struggle will begin in earnest Monday night, and next week is likely to be one of unusual excitement and interest in political circles. The hotels vested to bestow and to withhold Federal patronage in are already receiving orders for rooms in advance. the several States, it is hereby decreed that the said | There is much less enthusiasm among the "halfbreed" Republicans to-day than there was yesterdacy, and all Republican Sensiors are commanded to day. The President's action in returning the to them.' nominations of Woodford, Gould, McDougall, Tenney, and Knox-all friends of Senator Conkling-to the Senate for confirmation fell like a wet blanket on their hopes. They fairly supposed that the President had wholly ignored Mr. Conkling and his side of the house; that he had taken up entirely with themselves, and that henceforth none but "half-breeds" should enjoy the spoils of office. Men who on Wednesday evening extolled Garfield to the skies for his action in regard to Mr. Robertson are to-day indulging in | Hamlin, who for thirty years has seen the Sensharp and disparaging criticism of the President. They say his course in these nominations is a ling is one of the greatest men who have ever been | S. N., has received from her father the gift of a specimen brick of the Ohio brand of politics. The in the Senate. Mr. Hamlin was a great Blaine man handsome horse and phaeton. She is an accom-Conkling men are delighted at the disappointment a year ago, and intensely anti-Grant; hence he is plished horsewoman, and makes admirable use of where the inquest was held, and at least three of the "half-breeds," and have set to work to make the most of it. The wavering ones who had been personal prepossessions. When we have night sesinclined to go over to the "half-breeds " were force from the various parts of the city and put sought out and reassured by this evidence them on guard around the hall. During the in- that the Robertson men were not to have quest at least one half of the crowd inside a monopoly of the patronage of the State. at once fills up. No one else can thus draw in the was composed of women. A number of wit- The result is already apparent. They now nesses from New York gave their testimony, all mention Mr. Conkling's name above a whisper. The Stalwarts certainly number a majority of the connection with the case. While the testimony Republican members of the Legislature. This is Teller said: "Well, who has?" In the conferences not questioned. They are therefore determined that the prisoner since the murder was being given no snap judgment shall be taken, and that all the formal proceedings shall be conducted in order, affording no excuse for any extraordinary acts on the part of their opponents. The first move in their pro-

> This avoids any opportunity for a complication over the time of the election, which, but for this, was possible, owing to the failure to present the resignations to the Senate last Monday evening. and must continue each day until an election is clare that the call for a Republican caucus will be issued in due time and in the usual form, and probably for Thursday evening of next week.

gramme was Governor Cornell's brief message to

both houses of the Legislature yesterday contain-

AVOIDING COMPLICATION.

ing formal notification of the vacancies.

THE CAUCUS. They say there will be no excuse for any Repubhis Republican constituents as a candidate for re-"half-breeds" have reached the end of their rope. Platt, or any other enemy of the administration, contains some forty names. To secure a majority in the caucus they must have fifty-four. Next week the Stalwarts will have their forces here, and they expect to include Conkling, Platt, and Arthur. city official that Mr. Conkling is desirous of meeting the Republican members and personally exthe Stalwart nominations of yesterday.

WHAT THE "TRIBUNE" SAYS. NEW YORK, May 20,-The Tribune of to-day says: "There was a gathering of a few of the Conkling leaders at the Fifth Avenue Hotel last night. Some of them came from Albany to consult with Mr. Platt, while others had hoped that Mr. Conkling are disastrously active, despite the cool weather, might have arrived from Washington. He did not come, however, but is expected to-day or tothe various leaders in the city, and others A. B. Johnson and Charles M. Dennison, of Utica, who are close personal friends of Mr. Conkling, are already in the city. Police Justice Patterson, John J. O'Brien, Robert G. McCord, and other local leaders were at the hotel last night in consultation with Mr. Platt. They had brought down from Albany the result of their canvass of the Legislature One of them stated that the half-breeds, or administration Republicans, were making a great deal of noise, and had circulated several papers for signatures, each paper being different from the other: but "there was no absolute certainty of just how the Legislature stood." The informant of the Tribune continued and has no thought of being a candidate for rethat he had no doubt that enough Republicans election. would remain away from the Legislative caucus to prevent Mr. Conkling and Mr. Platt from getting sufficient Republican votes to insure an election at the start, but he thought that the opposition would melt away as it had before, and that in the end both the ex-Senators would be re-elected. When asked if the Senators would be candidates for reelection he said that they would. This may be taken as the Conkling view of the situation.

THE CONKLING WING STRENGTHENED. The Evening Post's dispatch from Albany this afternoon says: "The Conkling wing of the Republican party seem strengthened in spirits to-day. The change is attributed to the nominations by the President yesterday. They now say that a caucus will be held next week and that every Republican must attend it and abide by its decision or suffer repudiation at home. It is also said that have been in use by the President, but will shortly Conkling and Platt will be candidates before the caucus, whatever the result may be. Their friends declare that to ignore them will be to read them out of the party, which will not be permitted. On the other hand the Garfield men stand strong in their determination against the re-election of the ex-Senators, and still insist that they will not at-

tend any cancus," THE SHREWDEST STROKE. Ex-Governor Palmer, in the Springfield Register, says of the Conkling matter: "When the President undertook to deliver to his pantaloon Secretary the head of Senator Conkling on a charger he undertook a task which, in the best hands and by the shrewdest methods, was difficult of accomplishment. By those methods of duplicity, prevarication, intrigue, and final obstinacy employed by the President it was only the more difficult. It was thought that the Gordian knot which the peacemakers tried ever so hard to untie was cut when the President withdrew the New York nominations, with the single offensive exception. How far from defeat the New York Senators feel is indicated by their action yesterday, whereby they resigned their seats in the Senate. It is not to be supposed the gentlemen expect to retire from the Senate, but by this novel coup de grace expect to terminate the present entanglement and secure immediate re-election by their State Legislature. By this they will be triumphant, not in defeating Mr. Robertson, but by marching back into the United States Senate with the emphatic commendation of their State. Mr. Conkling has always been dramatic, but he has excelled not only himself, but all parallels in American history. It is the best timed and shrewdest stroke which our politics record."

TWO IMPORTANT CHARGES. The New York Senators wisely concluded not to remain in their seats as targets for an administration the word of whose chief they could no longer regard, and accordingly resigned. Their statement contains two very important charges, which it is useless attempting to smother. They state unequivocally that the President lied, and in this they are sustained by the Vice-President and the Postmaster-General. It would seem that the President could not rest under such a charge so specifically made, nor is it conceivable that he can, consistently with his self-respect, retain in his Cabinet a man who joined in making it. The country will have its opinion of him if he permits Cabinet officers thus to attack his veracity with impunity.-Globe-Dem-

A "BIGER" MAN. Senator Conkling re-elected by the New York Legislature will be "a biger man than old Garield." He couldn't well be much smaller than Garfield appears at the present time,-Globe-Demo-

a fireman. Loss, \$33,000; partly insured.

A BROTHER SENATOR.

What Teller, of Colorado, Has to Say About Mr. Conkling.

"What do you think of the situation?" said a Denver reporter to Senator Teller. "The nomination of Robertson was a bad one He is not fit for the place, and that is why we are opposing him. He has always been a traitor to the party. The contest that has arisen over him is very unfortunate."

"You do not think, do you, that Mr. Conkling and Mr. Platt seriously contemplate retiring from

the Senate?" "I should think not." Then, referring to Mr. Conkling personally, the Senator said: "No charge of dishonor or corruption can be made against him. They can only say that he is imperious. The truth is that he is no demagogue. He will not ple. If he was as much of a demagogue as some people that could be easily named he would be a much greater man-in the estimation of some persons. But he will not condescend to demaif he did. He does not cultivate the press and go

"How about his imperiousness? Is it as bad as on legitimate business, is he civil ?"

"Yes. I never knew him to treat any one uncivilly. He simply does not gush over people." "How is Conkling regarded intellectually at

Washington?" "He is rated as one of the greatest men that have ever been in the Senate. His enemies and those who dislike him respect his ability. Hannibal by special train to New York. Miss Starin was one ators great and small come and go, says Mr. Conknot influenced in his opinion of Mr. Conkling by sions, and the members are scattered through the committee-rooms lying on lounges, let Mr. Conkling commence speaking, and the Senate Chamber Senators from their safe retreats."

Mr. Conkling had never originated anything, Mr. of the party, by which legislation is determined upon and directed, Mr. Conkling's voice and influence is often decisive. Those who personally dislike him listen to him and defer to his opinions. And then during all the twenty years of his publie service, covering the loose and corrupting times of the war and its immediately succeeding far West. She is at present in Santa Fe, New era, Mr. Conkling's name has never been connected with any job or scheme.

The Arctic Search Expedition.

Secretary Hunt, of the Navy Department, has issued a letter of instructions The election will therefore occur a week from next | to Lieutenant Berry, commander of the Jean-Tuesday at least. The balloting will begin then, nette Arctic 'search expedition: "Sir-You will advise me at the earliest moment of had or an adjournment taken. The Stalwarts de- the day fixed for your departure; and you will urge to a speedy completion such arrangements as may be necessary for your safe and early start. The balance of your crew leave New York by sail this evening, under Lieutenant Commander Lamberton. You will pursue as nearly as lican to remain away, and they want to see the practicable the course recommended by the board. Republican member who will refuse to attend a of which Rear Admiral John Rodgers was Presi-Republican caucus and abide by nominations | dent, for the search you are about to undertake. regularly made and then dare go home and face | You will report to the Department your progress and the condition of your vessel and command election. The Stalwart leaders contend that the by every available channel of communication during your voyage, making your reports as full Their iron-clad pledge not to vote for Coukling or and detailed as practicable. In the pursuit of your adventurous and arduous voyage you carry with you the sympathy and entire confidence of the Department. Nothing that can be done to contribute to your well-being and success shall be omitted. As soon as you are ready you will sail. In fact, it was intimated by a prominent New York | The eyes of your fellow-countrymen, of the scientific men of all the world, and especially of those interested in Arctic explorations, will follow you plaining his position. None are so enthusiastic anxiously on your way through the unknown as to stake an opinion that two half-breed Senators | seas to which you go. May Heaven guard and can be elected. Especially is this the case since | bless you and your officers and men, and crown your heroism with success and glory! "

Talk in the Treasury.

Considerable excitement was caused among the attaches of the Treasury Department vesterday by the circulation of rumors representing that sweeping changes among were contemplated and that certain resignations the individuals mentioned in connection with the rumors resulted in establishing the fact that up to the close of business yesterday there had been no official action to warrant the statements, and it is believed by those interested that the rumors were circulated by irresponsible persons, with a view to creating a sensation.

Off for Home.

Ex-Senator Conkling left this city on the two o'clock (Boston express) train for New York yesterday afternoon. Vice-President Arthur and several others bid him good-bye. He packed all his personal effects, as if he had no intention of affairs of the Printing Bureau, for the simple reareturning here. His friends say he means by his resignation to abandon for the present public life,

More Rumors. It was rumored yesterday that Assist-

ant Secretary Upton and Custodian Pitney, of the Treasury Department: George M. Lockwood, chief clerk of the Interior Department, and Solicitor Rayner, of the Bureau of Justice, had been requested to resign, but it could be traced to no reis said, is to take Rayner's place. The President's New Team.

Hon. J. T. Updegraff, of Ohio, has presented the President with a handsome pair of blooded carriage horses. They arrived yesterday in a special freight car, and made the journey in safety. The carriage horses of ex-President Hayes be sent to Ohio. One of the new horses is an iron gray, and the other is a chestnut.

ARMY AND NAVY NOTES.

Paymaster G. A. Lyon, to the Washington navy-Cadet Midshipmen C. C. Marsh and M. L. Read,

examination for promotion. Passed Assistant Paymaster J. C. Burnet, from duty at City Point, Va., and ordered to settle accounts. The United States steamer Vandalia sailed yesterday from Boston with the steamer Ossipee in tow for Philadelphia,

Assistant Surgeon J. C. Byrne, to the naval hospital

at Norfolk: Passed Assistant Surgeon George Arthur

as assistant surgeon. Paymaster J. F. Stevenson, from duty as inspector of flour, &c., at New York, Surgeon A. F. Price has returned home from Japan, and has been placed on waiting orders. Assistant Paymaster M. W. Galt, from the Norfolk

navy-yard, and ordered to duty on board the menitors in the James River; Lieutenant G. B. Livingston to instruction in torpedo-service at Newport. Colonel Thomas L. Crittenden, Seventeenth Infan try, being sixty-two years old, is, on his own application, retired from active service, to date from May 19.

1881, in conformity with section 1214 Revised Statutes

and will repair to his home. Paymaster T. T. Caswell, to discharge the duties of spector of flour, &c., at New York, in addition to his other duties. Master Samuel Seabury has been detached from the Wachusetts, on her arrival at San

Francisco, and placed on waiting orders, Colonel John E. Smith, Fourteenth Infantry, being over sixty-two years of age, is, by direction of the President, retired from active service, to date from May 19, 1881, in conformity with the provisions of section 1244 Revised Statutes, and will repair to his home. Commander Alfred Hopkins, to the Pensacola navyvard June 10: Commander H. B. Seely, to duty it charge of the naval rendezvous to be established in New York; Commander Bryan Wilson, to duty in charge of the naval rendezvous to be established in

Philadelphia. The new steam cutter intended for the Arctic explorations under Lieutenant Greeley, U. S. N., is now receiving her finishing touches, and will be ready in a few days for that service. The authorities in the navy-yard here have made every effort which their skill could devise to make her as strong as possible for that service.

The United States steamer Dispatch, Commander Charles McGregor commanding, left the navy-yard vesterday afternoon for Fortress Monroe, Hampton Roads, and Norfolk, Va., with Secretary Hunt and a number of ladies on board. The Sec retary goes to Hampton Roads to inspect the vessels of the North Atlantic squadron now lying at that point, and will return in the Dispatch about Monday to this city. The steamer Dispatch is now considered one of the fastest vessels in DUBUQUE, May 20.—Walker & Co.'s barrel factory the navy. On her last trip to this city from Hampton and feed mills and Carr & Ryder's sash and door | Roads, with the Yorktown Centennial Commission factory. The fire was caused by the carelessness of on board, she made the run of 187 miles in twelve

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

ITEMS HERE AND ELSEWHERE.

The Literary Society-Wedding Guests-A Phaeten -General Upton's Sabre-A Daughter of "The Republican "-The Departing Solons.

Chief-Justice Drake, of the Court of Claims, will entertain the Literary Society this evening at his residence, 2117 G street. This will be the closing meeting of the season.

Signor Campanini, the "greatest living tenor," who is a warm personal friend of Mr. Howard condescend to the small ways of cultivating peo- Carroll, was a guest on Wednesday, with Madame Campanini, at his marriage with Miss Carrie Starin, at Fultonville, N. Y. They will sail by the same steamer for Europe on the 28th instant. Among many other guests of note goguery. He cannot; he would not be Conkling | were Chauncey M. Depew, now a prominent candidate for the Senate from New York: Congressaround among the press representatives and tell man Warner Miller and wife, ex-Congressman what he is going to do. He is perfectly indifferent | Chittenden and wife, and the editorial staff of the New York Times. Letters of regret, telegrams of congratulation, and wedding presents were rerepresented? If a newspaper man applies to him ceived from the President, Vice-President, the Postmaster - General, ex-Senators Conkling and Platt, Congressmen Hiscock, Camp, and many others. The marriage ceremony was performed at noon by the Rev. Edgar T. Chapman, canon of All Saints' Cathedral, Albany. There was then a sumptuous wedding breakfast, followed by music and dancing, before the guests returned

> of the loveliest brides of the season. Miss Kate Davis, daughter of Captain Davis, U. her new turn-out in contributing to the pleasure

of her friends. A most pathetic clause in the late General Upton's will is that wherein is recorded in dry legal phraseology the disposition of his steel sabre, "worn in the battles at Blackburn's Ford, Bull Run, Gaines' Mill, Charles City Cross Roads, Upon a repetition of the common suggestion that | Crompton's Gap, Antietam, Fredericksburg, Chancellorville, Gettysburg, Rappahannock Station, the Wilderness, Spottsylvania Court-House, Cold Harbor, and Petersburg." It is part of the sarcasm of destiny that a hero of so many battles should at last have ended his life by suicide in the frenzy of

an overtaxed brain. Miss Lily Scidmore is spending the spring months delightfully traveling with friends in the Mexico, and goes from there to Manitou Springs, Colorado. She has met very pleasantly Governor and Mrs. Lew Wallace and other official families of Santa Fe. She will return East the last week of June, to correspond for the papers from Newport and Saratoga. Miss Scidmore is professionally a daughter of THE REPUBLICAN, having done the first journalistic work of her life in its columns as "Ruhamah" from the Centennial at Philadelphia. These letters attracted wide attention by their crisp and vigorous raciness, and laid the foundation for profitable engagements on prominent Western papers. She holds a deservedly strong place in the esteem of her editors and their readers, and is besides a charming and piquant young lady, beloved in society for her personal

"Packing up to go home" is the order of the day among Senators and such of their wives as still remain. It is almost sad to see them preparing to disperse, and to reflect on the momentous and unexpected character of the session which has now passed into history. Could we on March 4 have foreseen all this it would hardly have added to the brilliancy of inauguration day. A few of the Senators, among them General Hawley, do not contemplate leaving till about the middle of next week. Washington has only kind wishes for her departing Senators, and hopes to see their number undiminished by sickness or death at the opening of the winter session.

AN EMPHATIC DENIAL.

Colonel Irish Not to Be Removed from the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. An old rumor was again started vesterday to the effect that Colonel Irish, in charge of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, was to be removed and Mr. A. M. Clapp appointed in his stead. Wishing to settle the question once and forever a representative of The Republican called chiefs of bureaus and other prominent officials upon Secretary Windom last night to ascertain what foundation there was for such a statement. had already been requested. Careful inquiries of | The Secretary smiled when the nature of THE RE-PUBLICAN'S business was made known, and said:

"All I know about the matter has been furnished me by the newspapers," "Is there a change contemplated in the bureau?" " queried THE REPUBLICAN. "None that I am aware of. Mr. Irish has given satisfaction in the management of the bureau, and I see no reason why he should be removed." With reference to Mr. Clapp, the Secretary said that about a month ago several delegations had called in his interest, but not receiving any encouragement he supposed the subject had died out. He had no intention of investigating the

son that no complaints against the present incumbent had ever reached him.

A Dangerous Counterfeit. A counterfeit silver certificate of the denomination of \$20 has been received at the office of the Secret Service Division of the Treasury Department. It is pen made, and its execution is such that an ordinary judge of money should detect the fraud on sight. The paper is of ordinary bank-note quality, being thinner than that upon which the genuine certificate is printed, liable source. John Ambler Smith, of Virginia, it and in color darker. The counterfeiter has imitated the distinctive paper of the Government by drawing two parallel lines throughout the length of the note. There are so many defects and omissions in the spurious certificates when compared with the genuine that it would be futile to enumerate them, seeing they are the product of the pen, and not of the plate. It is sufficient to state that the Treasury number can be wiped off by the aid of a damp sponge. The diamond-shaped figure between each letter of the word "certificate" on the back, which in the genuine is geometrically exact in its duplication, is in the counterfeit uterly destitute of uniformity either in shape or size. Engraved and Printed at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing" appears under the word certificate on the back, also outside the border at the right end of the face of the note. It does not appear at either place in the counterfait. It is believed by Chief Brooks that the co .nterfeit certificate has a very limited circulation in the South

Seene at the White House. President (to doorkeeper)-Who wishes to see me?

Doorkeeper-He looks like a pilgrim, but would not give his name President-Has he a letter of introduction from ome one of my friends? Doorkeeper-No, sir; but he says he is sorry.

and Southwest.

President-Admit him (enter office-seeker). Office-Seeker-Please, Mr. President, I'm sorry had a mind of my own. I'll never do so any more. Hope of an office convinces me it was very wicked in me to differ from you. Please forgive

me and my friends, but especially me. President-I believe in the remission of sin upor due repentance. If you are really sorry, and will hereafter consult me whenever you wish to think I will overlook your past transgression. Your name remember, from this time on you belong to me. Office-Seeker-God bless you, Mr. President you have a noble and forgiving spirit, worthy of your high station. I am henceforth and forever more a supporter (if confirmed) of your administration, world without end. Amen! (Exit.) President-I thought I'd fetch 'em. (Curtain de-

A Runaway and Accident.

A pair of horses attached to a heavy farm-wagon ran away on Dunbarton street, near High, Georgetown, last night, throwing the driver, Isaac Shoemaker, violently to the ground. He fell under the wheels, one of which passed over his right leg, fracturing it badly and bruising the flesh. He was ... removed to the Third Precinct Station, where Dr. Lyddane set the broken limb, and afterward he was sent to his home at Tenallytown. The runaway team was stopped at the corner of Twentieth

The Case of Michael P. Boyton. The case of Michael P. Boyton, arrested in Ireland by the British Government under the terms of the coercion act, has been considered by the State Department, Boyton having claimed that he was a citizen of the United States. Secretary Blaine, after carefully considering all the papers in the case, comes to the conclusion that Boyton has not established his claim to American citizenship in law, and the Government cannot interfere.

and K streets northwest by Officer Freeman.